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TO AMEMBASSY NAIROBI

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ASEC

SUBJECT: VISIT OF AMBASSADOR AND MRS. RICHARD HELMS

FOR RSO

1. AMBASSADOR RICHARD HELMS, AMBASSADOR TO TEHRAN, IS PLANNING PRIVATE VISIT TO KENYA FOR VACATION. HE WILL BE ACCOMPANIED BY MRS. HELMS AND MR. JAMES CUNNINGHAM, SY PROTECTIVE SECURITY ASSISTANT. THE HELMS' PARTY ARE PLANNING TO BE IN KENYA FROM JANUARY 29TH TO FEBRUARY 10TH.

2. THE HELMS' PARTY WILL ARRIVE NAIROBI WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 29, BOAC FLT 019 AT 0815 AND DEPART MONDAY, FEBRUARY 10TH, MS FLT 822 AT 0120.

3. REQUEST THAT RSO MAKE SINGLE HOTEL ACCOMMODATION FOR MR. CUNNINGHAM FOR ABOVE PERIOD. THE AMBASSADOR AND MRS. HELMS WILL BE STAYING WITH AMBASSADOR MARSHALL WHILE IN NAIROBI AND ALSO PLAN TO TAKE A PHOTOGRAPHIC SAFARI WHILE IN KENYA.

4. AMBASSADOR HELMS PREFERS TO MAINTAIN LOW PROFILE AND IT IS REQUESTED THAT PRESS NOT BE NOTIFIED OF VISIT. ON LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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ARRIVAL, MR. CUNNINGHAM WOULD APPRECIATE OPPORTUNITY TO

DISCUSS WITH RSO THE NEED FOR ANY LOCAL POLICE SERVICE PROTECTION FOR AMBASSADOR HELMS. IF IN RSO JUDGEMENT IT WOULD BE ADVISABLE TO HAVE LOCAL POLICE SERVICE PROVIDE PROTECTIVE ESCORT, RSO SHOULD BE PREPARED TO ARRANGE MEETING BETWEEN MR. CUNNINGHAM AND APPROPRIATE POLICE OFFICIALS. IF RSO FEELS THAT LOCAL POLICE PROTECTION WOULD BE REQUIRED DURING SAFARI PORTION OF VISIT, PLEASE SO ADVISE. AMBASSADOR MARSHALL IS AWARE OF DETAILS OF SAFARI.

5. AMBASSADOR HELMS PLANS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE DUE TO OTHER COMMITMENTS IN WASHINGTON. RSO WILL BE ADVISED OF ANY CHANGES IN THE AMBASSADOR'S ITINERARY.

6. RSO IS REQUESTED TO ADVISE SY/FO IF HE FEELS THAT LOCAL POLICE SERVICE PROTECTION IS RECOMMENDED IN ADDITION TO PERSONAL PROTECTIVE SECURITY PROVIDED BY MR. CUNNINGHAM. KISSINGER

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